MINOR CHANGE APPLICATION
IDAHO BROADCASTING CONSORTIUM, INC.
KSXZ (FM) RADIO STATION
CH 294C1 - 106.7 MHZ - 13.0 KW
PINESDALE, MONTANA
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TECHNICAL STATEMENT

This Technical Statement and attached exhibits were prepared on behalf of Idaho Broadcasting Consortium, Inc. ("IBC"), permittee of KSXZ, Channel 294C2, McCall, Idaho. In MM Docket #01-93, the community of license of KSXZ was changed from McCall, Idaho, to Pinesdale, Montana, and the channel upgraded to Channel 294C1. This instant application seeks to implement the change in community of license.[1]

IBC is proposing to locate the antenna system for KSXZ on a new 160 foot tower. The tower has been reviewed to determine if coordination with the FAA or FCC tower registration is required and neither was found to be necessary.[2] As such, the Federal Aviation Administration was not appraised of this proposal.

Due to the proposed facilities and the distance to the community of Pinesdale, the 3.16 mV/m contour of KSXZ, using the standard FCC propagation model, does not reach the boundaries of the community of license. As such, an alternate propagation model was used to verify that a 3.16 mV/m contour will encompass the community. See Exhibit A for details.

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1) It is noted that this application should be processed as an independent application from the pending modification of construction permit (BMPH-20020718ABQ) for a Class C0 for KSXZ.

2) A slope test was conducted using Towair.

Because the proposed KSXZ antenna system will be mounted on a short tower, close to other high power FM stations and some TV transmitters, the worksheets for Radio Frequency Radiation compliance cannot be used to certify radio frequency radiation compliance. As such, attached as Exhibit B is a radio frequency radiation statement demonstrating that this proposal complies with the Commission's radio frequency radiation rules. All other documentation used to certify the technical portion of FCC Form 301 has been forwarded to the applicant and is available to the Commission upon request.